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THE last Letters from *Lembergh* inform us, that the Commissioners assembled there, had again summoned the Deputies from the Confederated Forces, to appear before them, in order to an Amicable Composure of Matters, with a Declaration, that in case they still refused to submit to their Authority, they would proceed against them as Rebels and Traytors, pursuant to the Resolutions taken in the several Dyets of *Great-Poland*; which they have caused to be Printed, and published by Sound of Trumpet: This had so good an effect, that the greatest part of the Deputies agreed to comply with the Order of the Commissioners, and to enter into Conference with them, for Adjusting, in the first place, the Arrears due to the Army; But the rest of the Deputies persist in their Resolution, not to Treat with the Crown General; And as there begins to appear a Misunderstanding between these Deputies, so the Discord, as well as want of Money, increases every day among the Confederated Forces, and their number lessens, as well by the desertion of the Common Soldiers, as by divers Officers Treating privately for themselves. The Prince of *Lubomirski*, and the Bishop of *Plosko*, have both complained to the Commissioners of the Reports that are spread abroad of their favouring under-hand the Confederacy, and desired the Authors thereof might be punished, but the Commissioners answered, That they were not Empowered to Enquire into such Matters. The Crown General continues in great Credit, acting every thing in Concert with the principal Senators; And divers of those that have appeared most zealous against the Family of the deceased King, begin to enter into other Sentiments. The French Ambassador labours still very earnestly to promote the Election of the Prince of *Conti*, but seems of late to make no great progress; it being observed, that his Supplies of Money come very slowly, and in much lesser Sums than are necessary to perform the great Promises he has already made to those of his Party. Prince *James* continues all this while in *Silesia*, and the Queen is unwilling to leave this place till he returns. Some Proposals have been made to the Primate, to set up the Prince of *Lubomirski* as a Third Candidate for the Crown, but on this Occasion he has declared his Opinion to exclude all *Piasti*, that is, such as are Natives of this Kingdom. Many are of Opinion, that when the time of the Election comes pretty near, some other Foreign Princes will be proposed, whose Names are not yet publickly talked of. There has been lately a Dyet held in the Province of *Samogitia*, where 'twas resolved, That the Nobility shall appear on Horseback at the Dyet appointed to be held at *Warsaw* in the beginning of *May* for chosing a King, and the Eldest Son of Prince *Sapiha* was Elected to be their Colonel General, though not without great Opposition and much Disorder; The Castellan of *Samogitia* pretended to this Station, by Right of his Office; and the Contention went so far, that while the Dyet was sitting in the great Church, a Gentleman, who had appeared very warmly for the Castellan, was killed by some of the contrary side, who cut him down with their Sabres; The Persons that committed the Murder were seized, and ordered to be forthwith Tried by the Supreme Court of Justice.

Dublin, March 4. By Letters from *Galloway* we have an account, That a Ship called the *Sherborne* of 32 Guns, (taken some time ago by the *Weymouth*, and afterwards fitted out for the *West-Indies*) arrived there the 24th of the last month, having received much damage by the bad Weather she met with in her Voyage. They write from *Kinsale*, That His Majesty's Ship the *Anglesey* was arrived in that Port with the *Betty*, laden with Naval Stores from *Plimouth*; There is likewise come into that Port the *Industry* of *Bristol*, outward-bound.

Pembrooke, March 5. The 3d Instant came into our *Harbour* the *Mary* of *London*, *George Martin* Master, from *Cadiz*.

Falmouth, March 7. A French Vessel called the *St. James* of *Brest*, laden with Wine and Linnen, was brought in here the 4th Instant by 7 English Seamen, who being Prisoners at *Brest*, got off in a Boat, seized the said Vessel, and brought her away; having sent the Frenchmen that were on board back in their Boat; They came from *Brest* last Wednesday, and say, there are very few Ships fitting there. The 5th sailed hence the *Spanish-Allyance* for the *Groyne*, but the Wind changing, was obliged to return yesterday in the Evening; There came up with her the same day a French Man of War of between 30 and 40 Guns, with whom the *Spanish-Allyance* engaged, and gave the French such warm Entertainment, that they thought fit to leave her.

Weymouth, March 6. The *Prosperous* Privateer of *Guernsey*, Capt. *Rouse* Commander, came in here this day; who on the 27th past took a Ship of 22 Guns, and 42 Men, in Ballast, coming from *Morlaix*; and 3 other *Guernsey* Privateers have taken lately 3 French Prizes, of 22, 14, and 10 Guns each, laden with Wine and Brandy.

Bristol, March 6. This day arrived here the *Mary* of this Port, in 32 days from *Lisbon*, where she left the *Dover* Man of War, who had brought into that River a Vessel laden with Wine and Brandy from *France*.

Yarmouth, March 8. Yesterday came into this Road His Majesty's Ship the *Roebucke*, Capt. *Stevens* Commander, who brought in with him a French Privateer of 2 Guns and 32 Men, which he took between this place and *Harwich*; This Privateer came from *Dunkirke* on Thursday last. The 6 Dutch Men of War who arrived in this Road some days ago, do still continue here.

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